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| For: METHOD FOR SELF-SUPPORTED |) | |
| TRANSFER OF A FINE LAYER BY |) | |
| PULSATION AFTER IMPLANTATION |) | |
| OR CO-IMPLANTATION |) | |

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin at page 2.

Amendments to the claims begin at page 3.

Applicants' remarks appear at page 8.

An amended Abstract and a clean copy of the Abstract on separate sheets are attached hereto.